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Walk 4 Peace Ahimsa Pointe: A GeoSpelunking Tour
Audio Introduction
Welcome to the 4 Peace Ahimsa Pointe GeoSpelunking Tour in Stony Point, New York. "Ahimsa" is the ancient principle of nonviolence—a profound respect for all living things and a commitment to do no harm. Today, on this International Day of Peace, we invite you to navigate not just by map, but by satellite and spirit.
Lock in your coordinates. Breathe deeply. Let us begin our journey to five distinct waypoints of reflection.

Waypoint 1: The Sentinels of Reflection
📍 Target Coordinates: N 41° 13.900' W 074° 00.100' *(Approximate)*
Location: Stony Point Conference Center (17 Cricketown Rd)
Our first set of coordinates brings you to the Stony Point Conference Center, a sanctuary historically dedicated to nonviolence, social justice, and earth care. Seek out the Peace Poles planted on these grounds.
Notice the universal prayer inscribed upon them in multiple languages: *May Peace Prevail on Earth*.

In the world of GeoSpelunking, a waypoint is a place to pause and orient yourself. Let these poles be your spiritual compass. They remind us that peace is an active, daily practice. As you log this location in your heart, think of one way you can practice active peace today before setting your device for our next destination.

Waypoint 2: The Waters of Wisdom
📍 Target Coordinates: N 41° 13.750' W 073° 59.500' *(Approximate)*
Location: Sweetwater Cultural Center (W. Main Street)
Navigate next to West Main Street, where the GPS brings you to the Sweetwater Cultural Center. This space honors the deep, enduring heritage of the Ramapough Lenape Nation, the original stewards of this land.
True peace requires truth, healing, and a profound connection to the earth beneath your boots. Sweetwater stands as a testament to community resilience and indigenous wisdom. Take a moment here to ground yourself. Acknowledge the soil and the waters that flow through this region. Peace with one another is inseparable from peace with the earth.

Waypoint 3: The Civic Heart
📍 Target Coordinates: 41.23° N, 73.98° W
Location: Stony Point Town Hall (74 E. Main Street)
Recalibrate and move toward East Main Street. You have arrived at the Stony Point Town Hall. While a government building might seem an unusual stop on a peace tour, it is the very theater of civic engagement.
A peaceful society is built on dialogue, representation, and community care. It is here that neighbors come together to hash out differences, solve local problems, and build a shared future. As you stand at this waypoint, reflect on the importance of listening—true, deep listening. Ahimsa teaches us that understanding our neighbors is the first coordinate on the map to lasting harmony.

Waypoint 4: The Dreamer's Tree

📍 Target Coordinates: N 41° 13.600' W 073° 59.800' *(Approximate)*

Location: 39 Farley Drive

Our fourth waypoint takes you into the quiet residential heart of Stony Point, down Farley Drive. You are standing near the early childhood residence of PM Thomas. History is not only made on grand battlefields; it is shaped in quiet neighborhoods and nurtured in the imaginations of the young.

Though this is a private residence today, look for the grand maple tree in the yard. Decades ago, the sturdy branches of that very tree served as a frequent vantage point for young Thomas—a leafy crow's nest where a boy could sit, look out over the neighborhood, and dream of world adventures. Think about the physical spaces that nurtured your own early dreams. Every home is a place where the seeds of peace and exploration are sown. Send a silent thought of gratitude to the spaces that sheltered you, and to the community leaders whose everyday actions make Stony Point a home.

Waypoint 5: The Guiding Light and the Flight of the Dove

📍 Target Coordinates: 41.24139° N, 73.97222° W

Location: Stony https://bit.ly/AhimsaPointeTownHall26Point Lighthouse (Stony Point Battlefield)

For our final coordinates, navigate to the very edge of the peninsula at the historic Stony Point Battlefield. Here, you will find the Stony Point Lighthouse. Built in 1826, it is the oldest lighthouse on the Hudson River.

This land once saw the fierce clashes of the Revolutionary War, but today your GPS has led you to a place of profound natural beauty and quiet reflection. The lighthouse itself is a powerful metaphor—a beacon that does not fight the storm, but simply stands and shines, guiding others safely through dark and rocky waters.

Before you log this final waypoint, take out your compass or GPS device one last time. Find a heading of exactly 192 degrees. Turn and face this direction—almost due south—and look out over the horizon. Take a deep breath, close your eyes, and imagine a white dove taking flight from the grass at your feet. Picture it soaring on that precise 192-degree heading, flying steadily down the corridor of the Hudson River Valley, until it gracefully alights at the very top of the Freedom Tower in lower Manhattan.

From a historic beacon of safe passage to a modern monument of resilience and rebirth, let this imagined flight connect the past to the present. As you conclude this Ahimsa Pointe GeoSpelunking tour, carry that sense of connection with you, and ask yourself: *How can I be a lighthouse for others?*

Audio Conclusion

Thank you for tracking these coordinates on the Tour 4 Peace Ahimsa Pointe walking tour this International Day of Peace. May the waypoints you've visited today bring you closer to inner harmony, and may you carry the light of Ahimsa with you wherever you roam.

May peace prevail on Earth.

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